

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re New Application Yingxin HUANG et al.

Applicant: Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd.

For: Method For Roaming User To Establish Security Association With Visited Network Application Server

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment to the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Claims 1-9 are pending before the present preliminary amendment. Claim 7 has been amended to remove the multiple dependency format, and Claims 10-15 have been added. No new matter has been added.

Respectfully submitted,



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